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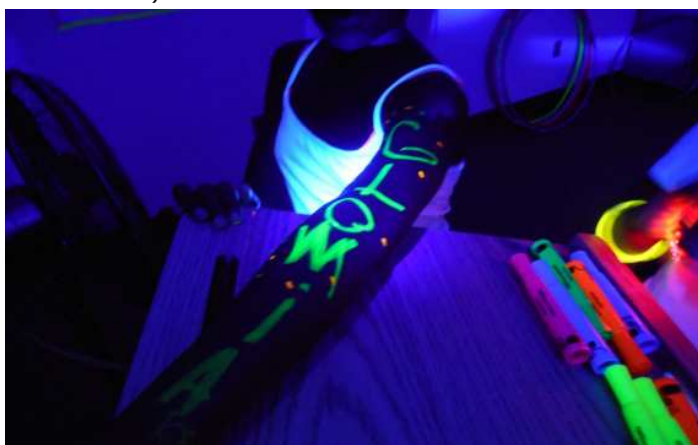
## Hampton Public Library

### **Teen Glow Party 2014**

We had a Teen Glow Party at the Hampton Public Library to celebrate the accomplishments of the teens during the Summer Reading Program. The party was a complete success. We had over 50 teenagers participate in this exciting event filled with games, food, music, and Glow Sticks!

— Tanisha McRae.

*Submitted by Maria Dillon.*



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## Blackwater Regional Library

### **Rocket Helps Out at the Library**



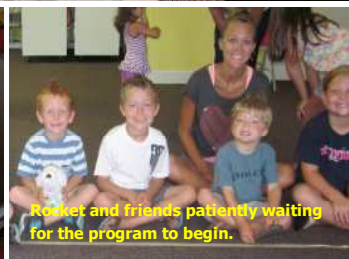
Rocket helps build a house.



Rocket learns to shelve.



Rocket loves Batman.



Rocket and friends patiently waiting for the program to begin.

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## Youth Services Notes

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## Summer Reading 2014

# Thanks

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- ◇ **Bonnie L. Lauver**, Backwater Regional Library
- ◇ **Tanisha McRae** and **Maria Dillon**, Hampton Public Library
- ◇ **Karen L. Gill**, Virginia Peninsula Literary Consortium

## Dates to Remember

### Virginia Conferences

September 3-4, 2014 ..... Library of Virginia Children's and Youth Services Fall Conference ..... Richmond  
October 22-24, 2014 ..... Virginia Library Association ..... Williamsburg

### National Conferences

June 26-July 1, 2014 ..... American Library Association Annual Conference ..... Las Vegas  
September 18-20, 2014 ..... Association for Library Service to Children National Institute ..... Oakland

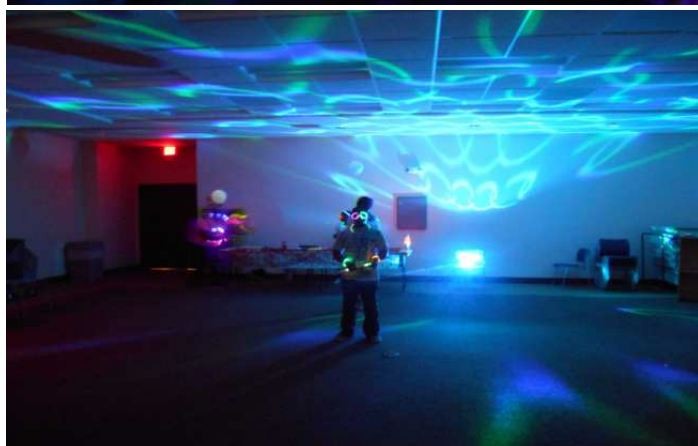
### Online Courses

September 8, 2014-October 3, 2014 ..... Importance of Play ( Dr. Betsy Diamant-Cohen ) ..... online

### Training

August 18, 2014 ..... Mother Goose on the Loose ..... Petersburg  
August 19, 2014 ..... Mother Goose on the Loose ..... Chatham  
September 23-24, 2014 ..... Summer Reading: A Community Approach ..... Richmond



**Teen Glow Party 2014***Continued from page 1***Rocket Helps Out at the Library***Continued from page 1**Submitted by Bonnie L. Lauver* ■**Virginia Peninsula Literary Consortium****Literary Consortium to Present Author T.C. Boyle**

**T.C. Boyle**, New York Times bestselling author of 24 books of fiction, will present an author talk, reading and book signing, 7 p.m., Thursday, October 9, at Christopher Newport University's David Student Union. The event, sponsored by the Virginia Peninsula Literary Consortium, is free, but tickets are required. Tickets are available, two per person while supplies last, beginning September 9 at all sponsoring libraries on the Virginia Peninsula. *Photo credit: Jamieson Fry*



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*Press Release, August 5, 2014, from Karen L. Gill, Community Relations and Programs Coordinator, Virginia Peninsula Literary Consortium* ■

### From PUBLIB

## **Makerspaces in Libraries Resources**

I wanted to once again thank everyone who responded to my library makerspaces survey last November.

See a **summary of the results** here:

<http://www.users.miamioh.edu/burkejj/Makerspaces%20in%20Libraries%20Survey%20Results%202013.pdf>

From those responses and my other research, I put together a page of **Makerspace Resources** –

<http://www.users.miamioh.edu/burkejj/makerspaces.html>

– that offer links to makerspace sites, listservs, project sites, product links, and collections of planning resources. I hope you will find this information useful if you are starting or continuing to build a makerspace.

You might also be interested in the book that resulted from the survey and my research:

**Makerspaces: A Practical Introduction for Librarians** (just available this August). More information on the book is available on the Rowman and Littlefield Publishers site: <https://rowman.com/ISBN/9781442229679>.

Again, thank you to all!

*Posted August 10, 2014 by John J. Burke, MSLS*

*Library Director & Principal Librarian, Gardner-Harvey Library, Miami University Middletown* ■

### Science Opportunity

## **International Observe the Moon Night**

**Saturday, September 6, 2014**

<http://observethemoonnight.org>

Greetings!

In just one month, on September 6, 2014, the whole world will collectively admire and celebrate our moon on International Observe the Moon Night (InOMN)! We invite you to join in the fun! Check the map of registered InOMN events at <http://observethemoonnight.org> to see if there's an event being held near you. If not, please consider hosting one and inviting your patrons, friends, or neighbors. As of the writing of this email, there are no registered events in AK, AL, AR, DE, KS, KY, MA, MS, NE, NH, OR, TN, VA, WA, and WV. Let's fill in the map!

### **Don't know where to start?**

This link walks you through the process of planning an event of any size. How to host an event in 6 easy steps:

<http://observethemoonnight.org/getInvolved/>

### **Need suggestions for hands-on activities?**

<http://observethemoonnight.org/activities/>

### **Worried about cloudy weather obscuring your view of the Moon?**

The "Moon as Art" collection, chosen by the Lunar Reconnaissance Orbiter (LRO) team, gives the public the opportunity to see the Moon as others have seen it for centuries – as an inspirational muse – but this time from the perspective of being in orbit with a series of 'eyes' that see in different parts of the electromagnetic spectrum:

<http://lunar.gsfc.nasa.gov/moonartgallery.html>

Additional beautiful, high-resolution images of the Moon's surface taken by LRO's cameras are available here:

<http://lroc.sese.asu.edu>

### **Happy Moon viewing!**

**The International Observe the Moon Night Coordinating Committee**

*Email dated August 6, 2014 from Andrew Shaner, Lunar and Planetary Institute* ■

